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SUBJECT: CANADA SIGNS LONG-TERM WHEAT AGREEMENT WITH PRC

REF: (A) TELCON WITH L. THOMASSON, G&F DIV., FAS/W; (B)
OTTAWA 2393

1. MINISTER LANG ANNOUNCED OCTOBER 5, 1973 THE SIGNING OF
A LONG-TERM WHEAT AGREEMENT (3 YEARS) WITH THE PEOPLE'S
REPUBLIC OF CHINA. THE AGREEMENT CALLS FOR DELIVERY OF
A MINIMUM 179 MILLION TO A MAXIMUM 224 MILLION BUSHEL.

2. CANADIAN WHEAT BOARD SIGNED A CONTRACT FOR DELIVERY
DURING THE FIRST SIX MONTHS OF 1974 FOR 37.4 MILLION
BUSHEL. A SECOND CONTRACT IS BEING FINALIZED FOR THE SECOND
HALF 1974 FOR 37.4 MILLION BUSHEL. THE QUANTITY IS FIRM.

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THE PRICE IS BEING NEGOTIATED.

3. PAYMENT TERMS ARE THE SAME AS PAST AGREEMENTS, I.E., 25
PERCENT CASH AT TIME OF LOADING, BALANCE DUE WITHIN 18
MONTHS. CREDIT TERMS NOT DISCLOSED.
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